

## Treasury Department,

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Bureau of the Mint,

Washington, D. C., May 20th., 1899.

D. Houston and Co.,  
#22 Platt Street,  
New York, N.Y.

Gentlemen:-

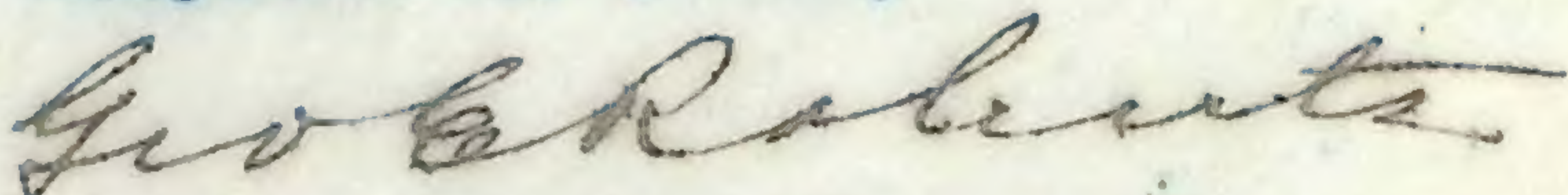
In reply to your inquiry of the 11th. instant, relative to the production of Gold, Silver, and Copper, in Arizona and Montana, during 1898, I submit the following:-

Source.	Gold.		Silver.	
	Fine ounces.	Value.	Fine ounces.	Coining value.
Arizona,...	121,697	2,515,710	2,297,784	2,970,872
Montana,.....	253,868	5,247,913	14,818,662	19,159,482

We have no returns for Copper production in Arizona in 1898, the Copper production of Montana is as follows:- 216,648,077 fine pounds, valued at \$26,062,784, at \$12.03 per cwt.

The returns for all the States and Territories have not yet been received here.

Respectfully yours,



Director of the Mint.